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## NOTIFICATION

The 04<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

No. Elec-2024/M:- 1852 In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 159 (1) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, all the District Magistrates-cum-District Election Officers in the State of Punjab are hereby authorized to exercise the powers and discharge the duties for requisition of staff for election work on behalf of the Chief Electoral Officer within the limits of their respective districts.

All the authorities mentioned in Section 159 (2) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, that is:-

- (i) every local authority;
- (ii) every university established or incorporated by or under a Central, Provincial or State Act;
- (iii) a Government company incorporated as defined in section 617 of The Company Act, 1956; or, as defined in section (2) of Company Act, 2013.
- (iv) any other institution, concern or undertaking which is established by or under a Central, Provincial or State Act, or which is controlled, or financed wholly or substantially by funds provided, directly or indirectly, by the Central Government or a State Government.

shall make available to the District Election Officers such staff as may be necessary for the performance of any duty in connection with Lok Sabha Elections-2024.

The District Election Officers will make appointments of staff for election work by invoking Section 26 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951

Sibin C. IAS  
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